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OCHSNER HEALTH LHSAA STATE GOLF CHAMPIONSHIPS – Division IV Boys First-Day Story

Monday, May 1, 2023, at Bayou Bend Country Club (6,105 yards, par 70), Crowley, La.

CROWLEY – Episcopal-Acadiana put three players in the individual top 10 and used that performance to take the team lead here Monday in the Boys Division IV competition at the Ochsner Health LHSAA State Golf Championships.

Riggs Ryan, Adam Trahan and Tripp Krodisch of ESA posted 71, 74 and 77 scores to help their team post a 304 first-day score over the 6,105-yard par-70 Bayou Bend Country Club course. That score was good enough for a 16-stroke lead over two-time defending champion Ouachita Christian (320) entering Tuesday's final round, while Quitman is in third at 323 and Ascension Catholic and Cedar Creek are tied for fourth at 324.

Logan Heltz of Christ Episcopal shot a three-under 32 on the front nine and holds a three-stroke lead in the individual competition after a three-under 67 score. Eli Walker of Quitman and Cole Haase of Riverside Academy are tied for second at even-par 70, with Ryan in fourth and Jed Stephens of Cedar Creek and Caden Lester of Ouachita Christian are tied for fifth at three-over 73.